## THE EXPOSITION OPEN.

SET GOING BY THE PRESIDENT.

The Ceremony Delayd Until After Three A Pleasant Jay and Large Crowds President's Address.

New OBLEANS, Dec. 19-The day was clear and pleasant, and nothing was left undone to make the opening commonies brilliant and imposing. Never before have the streets of the city been so crowled with people as this morning. Already he hotels are full and great difficulty is experienced in securing good quarters. The buildings along the principal streets are profusely decorated. Flags, banners, ounting of all colors and decorative designs have been tastefully arranged along the house fronts, while at many of the more prominent street corners triumphal arches have been erected. While the building is not entirely completed, and while one-half of the exhibits are not yet arranged, still as much progress has already been made as at any international exposition on an opening day.

The management used every endeavor to
push the work as fast as possible, and the
delay has been rather the fault of exhibitors
than of officials. Everything was in readiness for the former, but they simply did not take advantage of it. Great delay, however, was caused by the blockade of railroads. Many hundreds of cars of exhibits have not yet reached the grounds, the jam being especially heavy on the Illinois Central and Louisville & Nashville roads. These cars will be brought in rapidly, and by the time the holidays are over everything will be in complete order. In the main building one-third of the space is, as yet, nnoccapied, but exhibitors are putting up their platforms rapidly. These diss, complete, represent ever conceiv-article manufactured, from a needle to the mammoth Harris Corliss engine. All displays are tasty, many are elegant and rich. The space for foreign exhibits in this building is almost entirely vacant. This is caused by the rigid enforcement of the customs regulations. Over a thousand tons of goods of the loom are lying in bonded warehouses or aboard ships, although the management has used every endeavor to secure a modification of customs rules and the usual formalities attending entry in ports, and al-though they were seconded by customs offi-cials here, and the Treasury Department at Washington seemed willing to make some concessions, only last night Collector Badger received an order from Secretary Mc-Culloch to allow articles intended for exhibit to be sent to the grounds intended to be without to be sent to the grounds immediately, without their being disturbed in any way. A bond will be required on small articles of great value, which will be given by the Exposition management. Under this order all foreign exhibits will be immediately sent to the grounds in bonded barges, rapidly arranged in the departments. A large number of arrivals from Europe will not reach here until the arrival of the steamer Great Eastern, which sails from London Friday. These latter are expected to be in position early in January. By far the largest and most in-ter sting foreign exhibit will be that from Mexico. Their building, has just been completed, a fact caused by the delay in the iron work at Pittsburg. In the government milding there seems to have been an unreasonable delay on the part of the commis-sioners and owners. The United States exhibit is a magnificent one, but it is not yet complete. The Smithsonian Institution and Geological Department is well advanced, and very little more can be added to them. Almost every animal of prehistoric times, and of the present day, is seen in the former's space, from the mammoth that occupies a large portion of the gallery to the smallest fish. The Patent Office is represented by thousands of models. The State department is constructing a large glass globe to repre-sent the world in miniature, both from the the inside and the exterior. This will be transparent so that one standing within will have a birds eye view of the entire globe, its department had a very creditable exhibit, though not yet complete. Here are seen models of every class of vessels, and defensive and offensive armament. A large portion of this space is filled by articles brought back from the Artic regions by the Greely party. These attracted more attention than any other single exhibit. Among them were suits worn by the men, sledges, sleeping bags and canvass cases for provisions, with the sail-boat of the party. Some of the state exhibits are complete, some in embryo state and others not begun. The Onio building is beautifully constructed. A sky-blue bobbinet, interspersed with stars, oduces an exceedingly fine effect, the omes being an exact picture of the heavens as mirrored in a sheet of water. Louisians. and Mississippi, perhaps, show the most resources. The mineral display from the Western and Pacific coast States could not be finer or more complete. The finest and most picturesque display in the building is that of the Chicago, Milwankee & St. Paul Railroad. In a large Swise chatel built of sheaves of grain, with ornaments of corn in

The art gallery was not completed in time to admit of hanging the pictures, which, however, are at the grounds, and will be put up in a week. The art collection is said to the best artists. Conneissenrs declar that it will equal any ever exhibited. Horticultural Hall is a garden of Eden. Every flower, seed and plant of the tropic and temper-

It was never expected that such a stream of widthers would set in until after the holidays, and the attendance to day was exceedingly gratifying. Fully twenty thousand attended the coremonies in the main building, and many thousands more were scattered about the grounds. Several lines of curs and steamhoats conveyed the crowd to and from the grounds with much less crush than was anticipated. It is generally admitted, however, that secommodations are not yet sufficient, and by the middle of January a double-track road with large passenger conches will be ready for the public. Visitors to day showed no disappointment at the uncompleted state of work, but, on the contrary, those who attended the opening of the Centennial expressed surprise at the progress made and the smoothness with which things were conducted. They say in two weeks the Exposition will be what the management distinct, the grandest international fair ever held. The greating of Major Burke, director general, by the vast audience, was spontaneous, hearty and long-continued. He had to pause ten minutes before the applause subsided, and it was a fitting tribute to the man who has worked eighteen hours a day for six months, to make grounds with much less ern-h than was auticia hones a day for six months, to make the affair a success, attending to every detail

## AT WASHINGTON.

President Arthur a Successful Telegraph Operator.

Experience Massion, Wassessons, D. C., Dec. 16. The telegraph incomment with

of the executive mansion yesterday. The wire was tested this morning and found to be in fairly good condition, but the recent storms caused it to work a little hard. At 12 CAUSED BY A SLIDE OF ROCKS. o'clock members of the diplomatic corps, congressional committees and invited guests began to arrive. The marine band was in

At 12:30 p. m. the east room was fairly crowded with distinguished guests, and orna-mented by an immense picture of the New Orleans exposition buildings and grounds painted on cotton and surrounded by a floral

At 1:30 p. m. Marshal McMichael explained to the assemblage that the delay in the pro-ceedings was due to intelligence received from New Orleans that the committee had

not yet arrived at the exhibition building.

At 1:55 p. m. the President, Senator Edmunds and Speaker Carlisle took their places behind the telegraph table. The cabinet, represented by Secretaries Freinghuysen, Lincoln, Chandler, McCulloch and Attorney Lincoin, Chandler, McCulloch and Attorney General Brewster, stood at its sides, and be-hind them the Senate and House Commit-tees ranged themselves. Mr. Bancroft also stood close by. During the delay that en-sued the President chatted pleasantly with the representatives of the press who were grouped behind him.

The President opened the exposition a few minutes after 3 o'clock.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR'S ADDRESS. The following is the full text of President Arthur's address, formally opening the expo-

In the name of the people of the republic I congratulate the citizens of the Southwest on their advancing prosperity as manifested by the great international exposition now about to open. The interest of the nation in this section of our commonwealth has found expression in many ways, and notably in appropriations for the improvement of the Mississippi and by the national loan to promote the present exposition. Situated as it is, at the gateway of the trade between the United States and Central and South America, it will attract the attention of the people of the neighboring nations of the American system, and they will learn the importance of availing themselves of our products as we will of theirs, and thus not only good feeling, but a profitable intercourse between the United States, the States of Central and South America will be promoted. The people of our own country, thus brought closer together, will find in this exposition of competitive industries motives for strengthening the bonds of brotherhood. Railronds, telegraph lines and submarine cables have drawn much nearer the nations of the earth, and an assembly like this, of the representatives of the different nations is promotive of good will and peace lines and submarine cables have drawn much nearer the nations of the earth, and an assembly like this, of the representatives of the different nations, is promotive of good will and peace while it advances the material walfare of all. The United States extends to those from foreign countries who visit us on this occasion a cordial welcome, and now, at the executive mansion in Washington, in the presence of the assembled representatives of the friendly nations of the world, of the President of the Senate, of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, of the chief justice and associate justices of the Supreme Court, of a committee from each House of Congress, and of the members of my cabises, I again, and in their name, congratulate the promoters of the exposition upon the auspicious in auguration of an enterprise which promises such far-reaching results. With my best wishes for the fulfillment of all its great purposes, I now declare that the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition is open.

#### HOLCOMB'S DEFENSE.

#### Sheriff Winney His First Witness Others Absent.

JACKSON, Mich., Dec. 16.-Sheriff Winney was the first witness put on by the defense in the Holcomb trial this morning. Witness went twice to Ogemaw County to look after the lost revolver of Dau's; found nothing but some bullets which had been fired from a 32-caliber revolver. Witness had heard that Judd bought two 38-caliber revolvers of a hardware firm in this city. At the second trip up to Wm. Holcomb's, in Ogemaw County, witness was followed by Detective Baker and Holcomb, and their following him caused him to come away without searching, as he considered it bad faith on the part of Baker. The bullets found up there bore evidence of having been shot in

The defense wanted the sworn statements of Ella Shannon produced. Mr. Gibson said many papers which the prosecuting at-torney had could not be found. Mr. Wilson said it was strange indeed that so many papers had been lost in the case. Detective Harris swore he had turned over the larger part of the papers to Mr. Gibson, but had taken them away again. First missed Elia Shannon's statement this fall.

H. A. Smith sworn: Had heard that a girl in Wm. Holcomb's family fired Dan's re-volver. This girl was with Baker and William when they followed Winney into the

No witness now wanted could be found, and Judge Gridley said he would over-rule the motion of the defense made last night that the prosecution be obliged to produce and swear all the witnesses on the inform-

## GERMAN ANAHCHISTS.

#### The Report of Their Conviction Proves to be an Error.

LEIPSIC, Dec. 16 .- The trial of the Anarchists concerned in the plot to murder the Emperor, Crown Prince and other personthe ear, is every vegetable raised in the vast section of country through which the road ages attending the dedication of the Germania statue, was continued to-day, the report of the conviction of the prisoners having been an error. Rupsch, one of the accused, continued his confession as to his part in the conspiracy. He reiterated the statement that he had severed the fuse and thus prevented an explosion. For this he claims the credit of having saved the Emperor. The president of the court did not conceal his disbelief in the witness' story. Rupsch further averred that he was first instructed by Reinsdorf, the letter of the plot to place the dynamite under the Emplot to place the dynamite under the Emplot plot, to place the dynamite under the Emperor's tent; that he prevented this idea from being carried out by convincing Reins-

#### dorf that it was too risky. The West African Congress.

BERLIN, Dec. 16.-The West African Conference Committee did not meet to-day. The delegates were awaiting instructions from their governments as to how they shall treat the American proposal for neu-trality in the districts under discussion. It is understood none of the diplomats of the conference as yet have been able to outline a plan of neutrality that will satisfy a ma-

#### jority of the powers. A Home Mission Lesson.

READING, Pa., Dec. 16,-A series of missionary meetings is being held in the Walch Moontains, in the hope of converting the Buzzard ontlaws. The gatherings are of the Buzzard outlaws. The gatherings are of the fell and broke her arm. Last night Eph most extraordinary character. Many allege Madelsek also broke his arm while skatting. that Abe Buzzari, the cutlaw, attends in diagnise, but fully armed, and that the people do not want him molected for four of his making bloody work at the meetings.

## A Serious Charge,

Farer, Mich., Don. 26.-John Ormiston, a farmer of Gaines township, has been neverted and juiled here, charged with outreguing a Des. 16.—The telegraph instrument with neighbor's daughter, named alone Walters, at her father's hinter posterday, while the case Exposition was placed in the seal room rest of the family were absent.

### A RAILROAD WRECK.

The Atlantic Express Bound South on the West Shore Wrecked Opposite Poughkeepsie.

POUGHEREPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 16 .- The At- play as expressed in yesterday's issue. lantic Express bound South on the West Shore Railroad crashed into a slide of rocks half a mile north of Highland, opposite this city, just before 5 o'clock this morning. The train was composed of the engine, baggage car, smoker, two coaches and four sleepers. One sleeper, two coaches and the baggage and smoking car were burned. The fireman, James Gorman, had a leg broken. Two passengers in the smoking car were badly injured. A man on guard near the place of the accident found the mack covered with rocks just fallen from the banks. He started back to warn the approaching train, but was too late. The engineer caught sight of the obstruction, applied the brakes, but the train was going so rapidly that he could not stop it before reaching the rocks, into which it plunged at full speed. The engine flew the rail, but ran along between them for some distance; then it struck the rails of the north-bound track, and was rails of the north-bound track, and was thrown upon its side and completely wrecked. The baggage and smoker, and two passenger coaches, bounded to the west side of the track into a rocky gully, where they were forced for two hundred feet up the side of a hill, before they stopped.

Later-Several passengers are said to be slightly injured, but it is impossible to learn the names from the railroad officials. Firethe names from the railroad officials. Fire-man Gorman's injuries are thought to be fatal. Had the train jumped the track on the outside instead of the inside, it would have gone to the bottom of the Hudson. None of the sleepers left the track. Within ten minutes from the time the accident hap-pened all the cars that had left the track were in flames. When the engine fell over, the top of the cab was torn off and the en-gineer thrown down the bank to the edge of gineer thrown down the bank to the edge of the river. He was not seriously hurt, and hurried back to the assistance of the fireman, who, when the engine capsized, was caught under it. The engineer succeeded in releasing him from his painful position, when it was found his leg was broken in two places and he was otherwise hurt.

The shock threw most of the passengers from their seats, and there was an immediate rush to get out of the cars, some of the passengers making their escape through the windows. The baggage boy had a shoulder dislocated; a United States soldier, sentenced for desertion, and on his way to prison, handcuffed, had three ribs broken. everal passengers were slightly hurt, some others being bruised. The fireman was re-moved to a house in the neighborhood. The other injured persons were taken to Kingston. The cars were set on fire by the heaters, and burned fiercely. Several passengers had narrow escapes going to the rescue of other passengers. Besides the four cars that left the track, one of the sleepers caught fire and burned. The loss is estimated at \$50.

## Brighton Beach Races.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.-There were the usual five races at Brighton Beach to-day. The attendance was small and the track in poor condition. First race-two-year-olds, threefourths mile: Alfred, first; Arindsail, second; Myrtle, thirds time, 1:23%. Mutuals, \$1,970. Second race—Selling allowances, one and one-eighth mile: Centenances, one and one-eighth mile: Centennial, first: R. Monee, second; Sister, third; time, 2:05¼. Mutuals \$940. Third race—Handicap, one and one-fourth mile: Little Dan, first; Bouncer, second; Wood Flower, third; time, 2:18¾. Mutuals paid \$1,405. Fourth race—All ages, five-eighth mile: King Lion, first; Treasurer, second; Medusa, third; time, 1:08. Mutuals, \$3,065. Fifth race—All ages, three-eighths mile: Hazard. race—All ages, three-eighths mile: Hazard, first; Judge Griffith, second; Unknown, third; time, 1:08¼. Mutuals, \$3,475.

## Our Harbor Appropriations.

Washington, Dec. 16.-The House River and Harbor Committee has decided on most of the appropriations for Michigan harbors. There may be some changes made before the bill is finally reported. The following. however, is a complete list of Michigan harbor appropriations recommended by the committee: Muskegon, \$125,000; White River, \$10,000; Pentwater, \$6,000; Ludington, \$10,000; Manistee, \$10,000; Grand Haven, \$30,000; Cheboygan, \$10,000; Charlevoix, \$10,000; Sand Beach, \$25,000; Black Lake, 60,000; Sangatuck, \$20,000; St. Joseph, \$10,-000. Michigan rivers have not been reached yet by the committee.

## Mitchell Charged With Murder.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16 .- James Mitchell. well-known pugilist, was arrested this afternoon on an affidavit sworn to by W. R. Force, Assistant District Attorney of Bucks county, on a charge of murder. The affidavit charges him with murder in causing the death of one Muldoon, from injuries which he received in a fight occurring near Gardenville about a year ago. Mitchell professes profound ignorance of the whole affair. He will be given a hearing to-morrow

## Col. Newton Killed in London.

LONDON, Dec. 16.-Col. Newton, an American writer upon b ology, who recently came to London intending to lecture upon "Evolution," was killed to-day while riding a tricycle, his vehicle coming in collision with a cab. Newton struck upon his head, dying almost instantly. Much sympathy is felt for his wife and daughter, who came to London with the Colonel, and who are now residing at a hotel.

## Both Will Stretch Hemp.

HARRISHURG, Pa., Dec. 16.-Governor Pattison to-day signed the warrants for the execution of Dr. Louis W. Beach, of Altoona, and Richard Frenk, of Philadelphia, both to be hanged Feb. 12, next.

#### Arms Broken While Skating. Postrac, Mich., Dec. 16 -- While skating at the roller rink yesterday, Miss Maria Scott

Biamarok's Proposal Rejected. Braces, Dec. 16.-The Reichstag to-day rejected Blomneck's proposed for the cetals. lishmout of an African Consulate General at Cape Town.

Montana's New Governor, Wasnington, Inc. 10. The Prophent has

#### AMUSEMENTS.

#### "Romany Rye" Again Attractions for the Balance of the Week.

A small audience saw the second production of "Romany Rye" at Powers's last night. The scenery moved smoothly, and ome improvement was noticeable in the ecting, though on the whole THE TELEGRAM sees no reason to change the opinion of the

#### " The Planter's Wife."

This play, which may be seen at Redmond's to-morrow night for the first time in this city, should attract a fine audience. The play and the company are well spoken of by the press in the larger cities. The following is clipped from the Cincinnati Enquirer:

The story is good, and its fine dramatic construction is so well done that one finds his attention taken from the rising of the curtain, and held to the close—for not until curtain, and held to the close—for not until
the final climax, is disclosed the full depth of
the plot, and there is no chance of guessing
with any degree of certainty as to the finale
of the story, which is something unusual in
our later-day plays. The entire company
was far ahove the average. The play and
company made a hit, and should be the recipient of full houses throughout the engagement.

Seats may be selected at Friedrich Bros.

#### Roland Reed.

In so much as this popular actor appears in his popular play "Cheek," at Powers's Opera House, Friday evening, the subjoined taken from the Philadelphia Call will be of

Roland Reed has often been seen by Philadelphia audiences in his amusing impersonation of the bold and ubiquitous reporter, Dick Smythe, in Fred Marsden's funny comedy-drama, styled "Cheek," and he is always given a cordial welcome here, as was shown by his reception at the Chestnut Street Theater. Mr. Reed is a vivacious actor, and full of mirth in himself. He sang as well as ever, and his pretty medleys evoked hearty applause. The cast is nearly the same as that seen here last season. Miss Blanche Vaughan and Miss Alice Hastings gave the star very creditable support. The scenic arrangements are very good, especially the view of Madison Square illuminated with electric lights. Roland Reed has often been seen by Philaelectric lights.

#### Burns Club.

There will be a meeting of the Burns Club on Saturday evening at 7:30 in the Redman's Hall, Canal street, above Friedrich's music store, for the purpose of arranging for the January, 1885. All Scotchmen and their triends are respectfully requested to attend.

#### TRADE AND FINANCE.

#### New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. Money closed easy at 114 per cent. Exchange closed dull and lower. Posted rates 4.81@4.85; actual rates 4.80@4.80% for 60 days, and 4.84%@ 4.73% for demand.

Governments closed firm; currency 6's 126 bid; 4's coupons 123% bid, 4%'s do., 113% bid. Pacific Krailroad bonds closed as follows: Union firsts, 113% to 114; do, land grants 106% to 106%; do, sinking funds, 118 to 119%: Centrals, 112% to

The stock market this morning was only moderately active, and prices fluctuated frequently: Lackawanna was used by the bears as a lever to depress prices. They frequently raided this stock, at the same time circulating reports of cutting of coal rates by the Lehigh Valley company. These reports were officially denied sub-sequently, and had the effect of strengthening the coalers materially. The advance for the day ranged from 16 to 114 per cent. Lackawanna was the most marked exception, closing 1 per cent. lower. The sales to-day aggregated 287,000 shares.

## New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. FLOUR — Dull and weak without material change; Minn. extra, \$2 65@2 85; city mill extra, \$4 20@4 45; round hoop Ohio, \$2 75@4 9; Southern flour dull; common to choice extra \$3 00@5 4).

WHEAT—Options in good demand, and prices closed firm, and 1/4 % higher. Spot lots were in fair demand and firm, but closed without change.

fair demand and firm, but closed without change. Spot sales of No. 1 spring at 8°c; ungraded winter red at 6°6(830; No. 3 red at 75; No. 2 red winter at 79c and No. 2 red state at 78%; No. 2 red winter at 79c and No. 2 red state at 78%; No. 2 red winter, January, 79% 2079%; do February 81% 81%; do March 83% 283%.

CORN—Options irregular, with only moderate trading. The close was steady and ½6% higher. Spot lots firm and %c higher for No. 2. Spot sales of ungraded mixed at 47% 57c; steamer do at 47% 6649%, ungraded white at 50% 51c; No. 2 mixed. December, 52% bid; do January, 48% bid; do February, 46% c.

OATS—Options dull but firm spot lots steady and slightly higher for some grades; spot sales of No. 2 white at 32; No. 2 mixed Dec, 32% c bid; do January, 32% c bid.

RYE—Dull; Western 57% 661% c; do, state, 66% 68c.

BARLEY-Nominal.

PORK-Dull; new mess, \$12 50,

LARD-Firm and higher; cash, \$7; January.

\$6 94; February, 6 98@7.

SUGAR-Dull; fair to good refining, 4%@4%c.

BUTTER-Stendy; State, 15@25c; Western, 9@25c.

EGGS-Dull; State, 28c; Western, 25@27c.

#### Grand Rapids. TELEGRAM OFFICE, Dec. 16.

GRAIN—Corn, 56c. Oats, 256c28c; retail 35c. Wheat; Clauson, 72; red long berry, 74; short berry, 72. Rye, 56 lbs, 506c55c.

FLOUR AND FEED—Pastry, \$4 30 wholesale; \$5 00 retail; patent, \$5 30 wholesale, \$6 00 retail; middlings, per ton, \$16 00 wholesale, \$1 00 per cwt. Bran, per ton, \$18 00 wholesale; 80600c per cwt. Meal and feed, per ton, \$20 00 wholesale; \$1 10 per cwt.

PROVISIONS—Beef, per side, \$5 00@6 50. Veals \$8 00@9 50, scarce, Lambs \$3 00@6 00; muston, \$4 @\$5. Dressed hogs, \$4 10@5 00. Pork; Per bbl mess, \$16 00; hams, 14@00c; shoulders, 96 10c smoked beef, 16c; bacon, 12%c. Vennison 6a20c per lb. Lard: Tiercos, 10c kettle.

BUTTER AND CHESSE—Butter: Tubs and jurs 18@20c; crosmory, tubs, 25c. Chesse: Full crosm 11%c; half crosm, 7%c.

FOULTRY—Spring chicken: Alive, 86/10c per lb. Fowls: Alive, 76/8c; dressed, 76/8c. Turkeys, Alive, 86/10c; dressed, 10@11c. Ducks, dressed 10@11c.

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EOS - Fresh, lets, 20c; busket lots, 20c.

VENETABLES - Potatoes: 256 25c; sweet potatoes, ser bbl. \$4 5005 00. Onions: Per bu, yellow, Oc; silver skins, 500000. Reets, per bu, 25c. ablage, per hundred, \$2 0005 00. Squash, per andred, 7561 00. Turnius, per bu, 25c. Celery, ser des, 250 25c. Cranbertys, \$5 00 per bu.

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HONEY - White clover, 124c; dark, 567c; strain-des.

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## THE MILLARD CASE.

#### MORE EXPERT TESTIMONY GIVEN.

Dr. Duffield on the Stand all Day-Makes Some Interesting Replies to Hypothetical Questions.

Dr. Duffield resumed the stand in the Millard case yesterday morning. In reply to the question " if he were to find arsenic in a body 105 days after it had been buried, if he could tell whether it was taken before or after death," he stated, after an objection by Mr. Marston had been overruled, that he could not determine by analysis whether the arsenic was administered before or after death. In reply to a long hypothetical question, propounded by Mr. Davis, of the prosecution, which upon the objection of Mr. Marston, charging the omission of important facts had to be revised, the witness replied, in his opinion, that the symptoms as stated in the hypothetical question, indicated poisoning either by arsenic or antimony. Mr. Mitchell then read a long hypothetical question, the same almost as that used by Mr. Davis, and it was objected to, and the objection sustained by the Court. The Court then took a recess until 2 o'clock.

#### Afternoon Session.

Dr. Duffield continued-It would change my opinion to some extent if the questions were changed; I depend upon all the queswere changed; I depend upon all the questions; I have my opinion upon a group of questions; a burning pain in stomach, diarreheas with blood; burning pain in the throat, with stiff contraction in the muscles of the throat; a puffiness of the eyelids; nervousness and restlessness; vomiting and diarrehea continously; I want all of this group to form a clear and definite opinion as to whether she died of arsenical poisoning; a poisonous dose of arsenic would produce an irritable, inflamed condition of the stomach; arsenic would be indicated as present from fifteen minutes to three or four

present from fifteen minutes to three or four hours; the first symptoms would be prostra-tion and vomiting and a feeling of weak-ness; as soon as the stomach became irritable thirst would come; the next symptom would be purging; the next symptom would would be purging; the next symptom would be nervousness and a loss of vital power; if the dose was not fatal it would take from sixteen to twenty days to eliminate arsenic from the body; a hot burning pain in the throat is a result of arsenic. It would take several days before puffiness of the ever would occur; the poisonous impress.

the eyes would occur; the poisonous impression which is made upon the nerves produces store, for the purpose of arranging for the nervousness; the restlessness is a result of the nervousness; certainly should find indications of arsenical poisoning after death the intentines would be red and extended; the ptoms not i would not necessarily indicate the presence of arsenic; they are not essential to a physician in forming his opinion; the symptoms de ceased had did not indicate any pernicious fever; in pernicious fever we do not have burning thirst or burning in the stomach; nor do we have diarrhœa; pernicious fever develops in July and August.

Cross-examined—Have not prepared for examination in this question; did not assist in forming the hypothetical questions asked me; do not remember the exact date when these symptoms showed themselves; as soon as I noticed the symptoms of arsenic poisoning I began to form my opinion; prior to May first, if I remember rightly, there was no purging; prior to this time I can not remember the symptoms; prior to this time I time the symptoms did not indicate arsenical poisoning; they might indicate a pain in the back of the bead; this might be due to a suppression of the menses; the vomiting might be due to this; prostration, nervousness, a cool skin might be due to this the prostration and vomiting would not be aggravated, and still not indicate poisoning; the minor symptoms did not indicate arsenical symptoms; if any of the major symphave been caused by the others; prior to May first five grains would indicate poison-ing; two grains would produce vomiting; on May first the symptoms would require one grain or two grains at the most; of the two grains three-quarters of a grain would have been absorbed in the stomach; the blood carries it all through the system and deposits it on the way; I have not had any experiments on the human system as to the quantity deposited; I cannot say as to what other chemists say is correct or not; up what other chemists say is correct or not; up to May the symptoms may be explained from natural causes: from the first of May there were symptoms of arsenical poison natil the end; Ido not know as found any of the major symptoms absent during this period; the burning pain in the throat is one of the symptoms we are guided by. In relation to the puffiness of the eye the upper lid ouffs first.

Mr. Marston continued the cross-examination at some length, asking hypothetical questions, tending in the answers to create doubt as to arrenical poisoning being administered. The cross-examination being finished the court adjourned at 5 o'clock, in order to give the prosecution time to prepare for the re-direct examination of Dr. Duffield this morning.

## YESTERDAY'S COURTS.

Police.—Geo. W. Rogers, drunk, 10 days in jail.—John Webber, disorderly, paid \$13.35.—John D. Lewis, selling at auction without license, discharged.—Frank Widoe, larceny, less than \$25, returned to parents on recommendation of State Agent.

SUPERIOR.—The People v Levi S. Whit-field. Larceny from person. On trial.—
The People v Edward Johnson and Wm. Madden. Breaking and entering store. Respondents arraigned, and each plead "not guilty." Counsel appointed and witnesses supposed at expense of people.

JUSTICE SAUNDERS.—Robert Frost v. John Malone. Assumpsit. Adjourned to Dec. 17, at 1 p. m.—Jane A. Quackenbush v. Geo. W. Walker. Replevin. Jury out.

JUSTICE WESTFALL.—Robert Bucher v. Adam Alberts. Assumpsit Judgment for plaintiff: \$110 and costs.—Geo. K. Johnston v. Robert Reavely. Assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff, by default, for \$12.50 and costs.—Same v. Cornelius Noon. Assumpsit. Judgment by default for plaintiff; \$10 and costs.—Same v. Clinton B. Fitch. Assumpsit. Settled; claim and costs paid.

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JUSTICE BROUWER.—Margaret Leichner v.
Chas. Thompson. Assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff for \$9.50 and costs.—John Broersema v. C. & W. M. R. R. Co. Gernishee of Gervit Van Dyke. Disclosure made.—Huber & Baisch v. Lyman Kinney. Assumpsit. Suit dismissed, and costs paid by plaintiff.—Mary Cain v. Lena Kuppenheimer. Replevin. Suit withdrawn, and indigment rendered for defundant for return of property and payment of costs.

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